

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.:	10/075,786	Confirmation No.	9809
Applicant:	John E. Holland <i>et al.</i>	Docket No.:	J3781-022
Filed:	February 13, 2002	TC/AU:	1734
For:	PROTECTIVE COVER	Examiner:	William H. Mayo III

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**
(37 C.F.R. § 1.191)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed August 4, 2009, rejecting claims 1-3, 8-13, 27-29 and 34-39.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 41.20(b)(1), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fees for filing the Notice of Appeal (\$270.00) and Two Month Request for Extension of Time (\$245) to Deposit Account No. **09-0528**. Although no additional fees are believed to be due, the Commissioner is also authorized hereby to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account as indicated above.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 4, 2010

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